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ANOTHER BIG FIRE AT CROTHERSVILLE

Old Park Hotel Building Destroyed This Morning, Entailing Loss Estimated at \$15,000.

ADJACENT STRUCTURES SAVED

C. J. Briner, William Fultz, J. G. Glasgow and Miss Anna Ritz Among Heavy Losers.

The old Park hotel building at Crothersville, in which a number of business enterprises were quartered, was destroyed by fire about 8:30 o'clock this morning. The total loss is estimated at between \$12,000 and \$15,000. The flames probably started from a defective flue and spread rapidly. The town is handicapped in fighting fires but the volunteer brigade was able to save the adjacent buildings. For a time it appeared that several stores in the vicinity would be destroyed. Besides the stores several families had rooms on the second floor.

The heaviest losses were sustained by the following:

J. G. Glasgow, Cincinnati, owner of the building.

Curtis J. Briner, proprietor of feed exchange, William Fultz, proprietor of drug store.

Miss Anna Ritz, owner of millinery store.

James W. Lewis, household goods. Mrs. Nancy Waskom, household goods.

The building itself was probably worth about \$5,000 or \$6,000 although it cannot be replaced for that amount. It was a two story structure with full basement. When the fire was discovered the entire upper portion of the building was in flames and it was apparent that the structure was doomed.

Mr. Briner carried about \$2,000 insurance on his stock of feed and Mr. Fultz carried some insurance, but in neither case will it be sufficient to cover the losses sustained. Miss Ritz carried \$500 insurance on her stock and fixtures, but the loss will be greater than that amount. Included in her loss was a book containing \$100 in War Savings Stamps.

Mr. Lewis, who was formerly county clerk, lost all of his household goods and carried no insurance. The loss to Mrs. Waskom is also complete. A butcher shop owned by Crawford Young had been located in the building until a few days ago when the fixtures were removed.

The sparks and burning embers were carried a considerable distance by the wind and many citizens worked hard in extinguishing them before other buildings were ignited. The Park hotel building is located across the street from the Swope store and is on the opposite corner from the big elevator which burned there several months ago.

The losses sustained by the fire have resulted in a renewed demand that the water plant be built in the town as soon as possible so that the protection can be given against such damage in the future. The town is considering the installation of the new water system and fire hydrants would be placed in various parts of the town.

BUSINESS IS RESUMED SLOWLY AT SEATTLE

Shoppers Drifting in to Stores and Theaters Plan First Performances in Three Days.

By United Press. Seattle, Wash., February 8.—At noon today, resumption of business was going forward slowly, with no reported interruption, although there had been no agreement in the general strike.

Some restaurants had opened and theaters were planning to give their first performance in three days. A few shoppers were beginning to drift into stores. Municipal street cars were running under guard.

Wall Paper Cleaning. R. A. Cecil, the well known wall paper cleaner will be in Seymour Feb. 10th. For a short time only. Phone 447. f10d

SCOUTS ENTERTAIN PARENTS AT GYM

Luncheon Served Under Direction of High School Domestic Science Department.

MORE THAN 100 PARTICIPATE

Box Containing \$65.00 Presented to Scoutmaster More by Scouts and Their Parents.

The Boy Scouts of Troop No. 1 were hosts to their parents at a luncheon served in the Seymour high school building Friday evening. Plates were laid for one hundred and twenty. The long dining table was placed in the hall of the basement and extended the entire length of the hall. As the guests arrived they gathered in the assembly room first floor and at the supper hour the Scouts were called into line. The Eagle Patrol, Ram Patrol, Wolf Patrol and Fox Patrol in turn were called by Scoutmaster, J. H. More, to escort their parents with them to the table.

The luncheon for the evening was prepared under the direction of the domestic science department of the high school which is in charge of Miss Hilda Howe. She was assisted by several teachers and friends of the Scouts. The table was served by high school girls. Many complimentary expressions were made concerning the excellent quality of the luncheon and the manner in which it was served.

At the conclusion of the luncheon Prof. Mott introduced J. H. Andrews who made a very happy address in appreciation of the work which Scoutmaster J. H. More has done in Seymour and the time which he has given to the work of the Boy Scouts. At the conclusion he presented Mr. More with a box containing sixty-five dollars, in three twenty-dollar gold pieces and one five dollar bill from the Scouts and their parents. The presentation came as a complete surprise to Mr. More who responded appropriately as soon as he partially recovered from his surprise.

At the conclusion of the luncheon an improvised program was given in the high school gymnasium. The first

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YOUTH HELD IN JAIL HERE PENDING INVESTIGATION

Lee Mattingly, Arrested for Attempting to Pass Fraudulent Checks, Puzzle to Police.

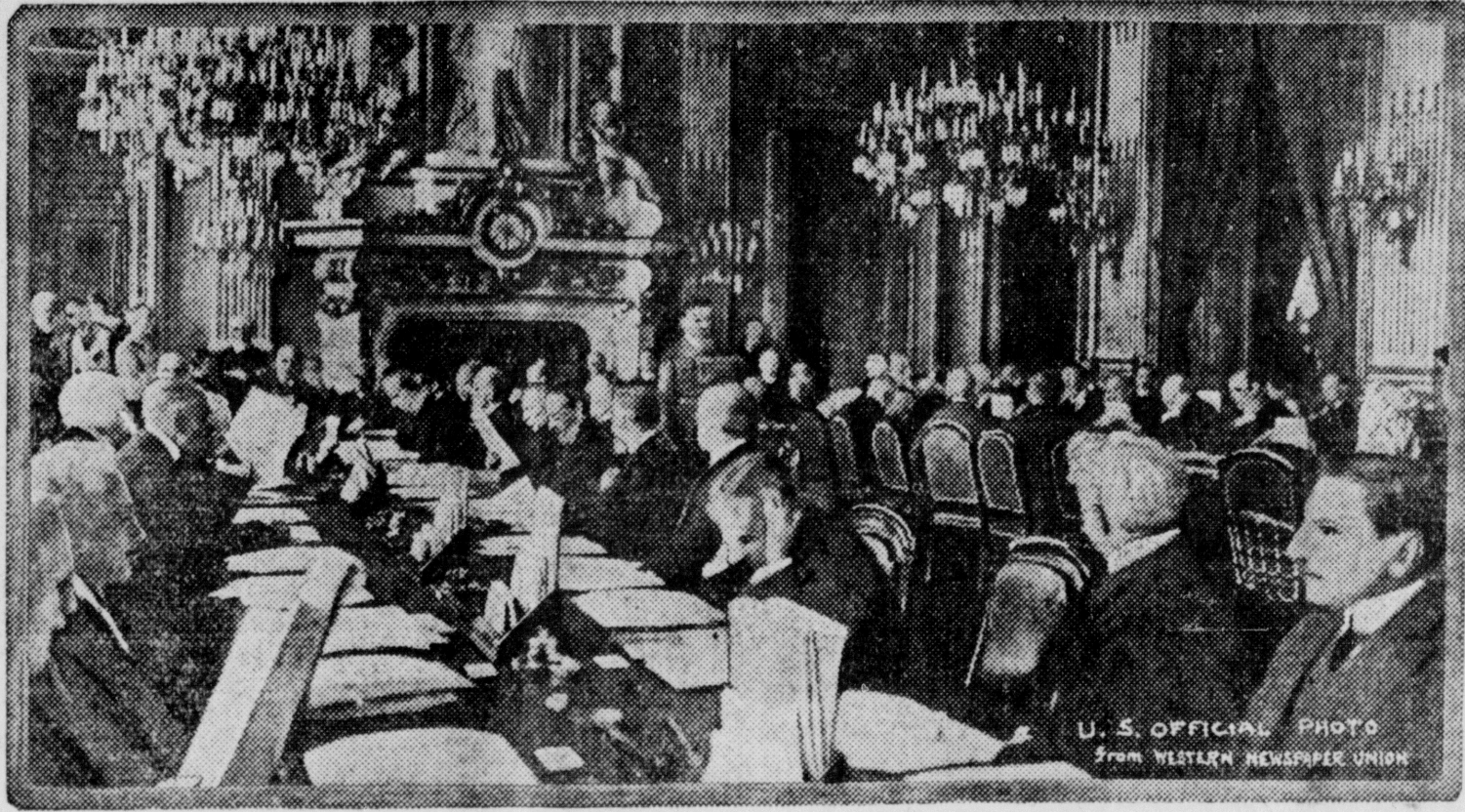
Lee Mattingly, alias Charles Canary, who gives Louisville as his place of nativity, is being held at the local police station pending an investigation by Chief Abell on charge of issuing checks without funds. Mattingly was arrested by Officer Weddell Thursday night when he received reports from local merchants that a stranger was trying to cash a forged check on S. B. Williams. Before Mattingly was arrested he had tried to cash the check at both the Palace and the City restaurants, at Federmann's drug store and at Steinkamp's soft drink establishment.

From recent interviews the police have arrived at the decision that Mattingly is on his first cruise at this sort of work. They report that he looks more like an inexperienced chap than has run out of funds and is trying to "get by" to secure the price of transportation home. The only information he will divulge is that he belongs in Louisville and was on his way there from Indianapolis, and that he has been working in Wisconsin and Illinois.

Sentimental epistles addressed to young ladies in Illinois and Wisconsin towns were found in his possession but no immediate traces of identification were discovered. Local authorities are not putting much faith in any of the stories for though they are all possible they are not of necessity probable. Letters of inquiry have been sent to parties in Louisville and the police are expecting enough information by Monday to determine the future course.

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FIRST PHOTOGRAPH OF PEACE DELEGATES IN SESSION



This is the first official photograph to arrive in this country showing the peace delegates in session in Paris. These delegates are from every country in the world.

REPUBLICANS TO BAR PORK BARREL

Policy of Government Economy will Come With Change in Congress March 4.

BUDGET SYSTEMS ADVOCATED

\$500,000,000 in Running Expenses Would Be Saved at Once. Leaders Declare.

(By L. C. Martin, United Press Staff Correspondent.)

Washington, February 8.—A policy of governmental economy will come when republicans take the reins in congress, March 4, Republican leaders declared today.

Progressive and stand-pats are united on the need for economy. Both have concrete plans to bring it about.

Progressives want a budget system adopted. This, they say would put a check on "pork barrel" congressmen who increase appropriation bills for their own benefit; would reveal duplication of work of government business; reduction of pay rolls, put government accounting on a scientific basis.

House republican and democratic leaders have agreed to put a budget system provision on an appropriation bill this session so it can be put into operation at once.

Stand-pats are not hostile to the budget system, but for political reasons would let it wait and by a series of drastic measures accomplish economical results otherwise.

These measures would save \$500,000,000 a year in ordinary running expenses of the government, Senator Smoot, Utah asserts.

ATTEMPT TO BRIBE

Charge Made By F. J. Heney Against Packers.

By United Press. Washington, February 8.—Packers tried to bribe Francis J. Heney, to work for them with offers of "more business than he could handle," he charged today at the senate packers' hearing. Heney accused Levy Mayer, attorney for Armour & Co. was trying to buy him at a recent session of the senate inquiry. Mayer will appear before the committee Monday and will be asked for an explanation.

Notice to Hog Feeders. Purdue advises the use of Feeding Tankage as a food and conditioner for hogs. We are making a guaranteed Feeding Tankage for this purpose and for balancing the ration which cannot be beat, see or write. Buhner Fertilizer Co. f14Sat.&wkly Seymour, Ind.

Killed in Action. The daily casualty report gives the name of Private Lloyd E. Austin, of Scottsburg, killed in action.

Serg. Leo T. Finch, of Mooreland, who has a number of friends here, is reported wounded, degree undetermined.

We Do "Printing That Pleases."

HAYDEN MAN PRAISED FOR PATRIOTIC WORK

Fred Whitcomb Given "Writeup" in Charlestown, S. C., News for Services There.

Fred Whitecomb, of Hayden, who is connected with the work of the new port terminal at Charlestown, S. C., is given credit for the splendid showing in war work activities made by the employees. The Charlestown News of February 2, devotes considerable space to this work and the organization in charge of it. Mr. Whitecomb's picture is printed with a number of the other organizers and officers.

Relative to his work the News says:

The North Charleston personnel has responded generously to the various patriotic calls during the year. Under the managership of Mr. Fred Whitecomb, the patriotic activities of the port terminals have been encouraged and guided into the best channels. Liberty loan, Red Cross, united-war work and war savings stamps have all done well at the port terminals. Mr. Whitecomb has had the assiduous help of women as well as men in carrying out the several campaigns.

TWO MEN DEAD, OTHERS INJURED AS RESULT OF FIRE

Inefficient Safety Apparatus Held Responsible in Fire at Indianapolis.

By United Press. Indianapolis, February 8.—Inefficient safety apparatus resulted in the death of two men and the serious injury of nine others in the fire which destroyed the Palace Hotel early today, according to the police authorities. All but two ropes which occupants of rooms threw out the windows broke when guests were descending them. The fire escape was not used, Harry Friedly, state fire marshal, stated on investigation.

The dead and injured were all residents of this city.

House in Session. By United Press. Indianapolis, February 8.—The house of representatives held a short session this morning, but the senate did not meet. The Beardsley amendment to the constitution providing for woman suffrage and several other constitutional amendments passed second reading. The blue sky bill was recommended for passage in the house.

Medical Society Officers. After hearing a lecture by Dr. J. G. Royce, of Indianapolis, medical officer of the Indiana public health service Thursday, the members of the Jackson county Medical Association elected officers for the year 1919. Dr. N. G. Harrod, Tampico, was elected president with Dr. C. E. Gillespie vice president, Dr. L. B. Hill, secretary and treasurer, and Dr. M. F. Gerrish, censor. The association will give the state organization all the aid and assistance within its power to preserve the health conditions in the territory under its jurisdiction. The U. S. Federal Treasury Department has control over the public health department.

Hair cutting 25c; shaving 10c; razor honing 35c. I sharpen household scissors also. Sprenger's Barber Shop. One door north of New Lynn hotel. s6d&wtf

TROOP SHIPMENTS TO BE INCREASED

Chief of Staff March Announces 160,000 Men Will Be Returned This Month.

GAIN OF 50,000 OVER JANUARY

Practically All Men Relieved from Domestic Camps Except Those Needed to Care or Property.

By United Press. Washington, February 8.—American troop shipments from France will be increased to 160,000 during February, Chief of Staff March announced today. This is an increase of 50,000 over January.

To further increase the shipments, General March has ordered conversion of fifty-one cargo vessels to transports. In addition it is expected several German ships will be added soon to the fleet bringing home the Yankees.

Troops actually shipped from France number 236,800 March stated. In this country practically all men except those needed to maintain camps have been returned to civilian life.

The number of American soldiers missing in action has been cut down to 7,800 and reports from General Pershing show that about 100 men previously reported missing are being accounted for.

FORD-NEWBERRY CONTEST HARD FOUGHT IN SENATE

Debate of Four Days Develops Over The Resolution to Investigate Election.

By United Press. Washington, February 8.—The Ford-Newberry election contest is slowing up business in the senate. An indirect filibuster against consideration of the Pomerene resolution for investigation of the rival claims offered for the Michigan seat has resulted in an extended debate for four days.

Republicans have so far prevented action. They declare they will filibuster openly until the end of the session if democrats try to press the resolution.

The contest is to determine whether Ford who ran as a democrat, or Newberry, elected as a republican, shall be seated. Republicans will have a majority or two with Newberry in. With Ford in the senate would be a tie.

STRIKERS STILL OUT Reports Declare However That Differences Are Adjusted.

By United Press. Paterson, N. J., February 8.—Despite reports that the strike of 27,000 mill workers here was practically settled, work was not resumed today. It was understood that the strikers and mill-owners had not yet fully agreed on a proposition to present to the ar labor board. They are still trying to come to terms. Meanwhile the strike goes on, the workers demanding a 47 hour week.

COMMISSION TO SPEED UP WORK

Special Meeting of League of Nations Body to Formulate The Constitution.

SEVEN EXECUTIVE MEMBERS

One Representative for Each of Five Great Powers and Two for Smaller Countries.

By United Press.

Paris, February 8.—The league of nations committee virtually completed the entire constitution at its meeting this morning, it was announced. Re-drafting necessitated by several changes will delay its completion until the middle of next week, however.

Organization of the league of nations as favored thus far by the committee, promises to be similar to the constitution of the United States, according to an outline given today by Prof. Laranade one of the French members of the committee.

An executive committee will head the league instead of a president, and its power will exceed that of the American chief magistrate. Under the legislative committee comes the judicial and executive branches. The executive and judicial bodies will sit permanent, while the legislative will gather annually unless specially convoked.

Limited armament for all member nations has been approved. Land and sea forces will be controlled by the league, except in the case of domestic matters. Disputing nations will be summoned before the league tribunal. In the event of a nation refusing to abide by the judiciary's ruling and ignores all other attempts at effecting a settlement, it is planned to allow the disputants to fight.

The initial governing body of the league of nations will be an executive committee of seven, one representative for each of the five great powers and two for the smaller countries, it was learned from a reliable source today.

This agreement is said to have been contained in one of the articles of the constitution. It would indicate that the minor powers lost their contention for larger representation.

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ARMISTICE EFFECTED IN GREAT BRITAIN'S STRIKE

Mass Meeting of Trade Union Workers Called Tomorrow to Decide About General Walkout.

By United Press. London, February 8.—An armistice has apparently been effected today in the industrial war being waged in Great Britain.

While the subway strike was called off and all electrical workers, reported back at their posts, announcement was made that a mass meeting of trade union workers would be held tomorrow to decide whether there shall be nation ide general strike.

Rival tube unions reached an agreement with the government representatives early today.

The return to work of the electrical employees relieved a tense situation resulting from the government threat to fine or imprison any one who interfered with the city's power or light service. The waiters still on strike, however, affecting all the first class hotels restaurants and clubs in London.

The general strike in Belfast was reported to be nearing a settlement. The employers have offered the strikers a 47-hour week, agreeing to concede a 44-hour week as soon as peace is signed. The Evening Star, however, published a Belfast dispatch stating that warrants have been signed, authorizing arrest of most of the strike leaders.

The situation in the Glasgow shipbuilders strike was said to be unchanged.

Notice. Having been released from military service, I will resume my practice in diseases of the eye, ear, nose and throat, and fitting glasses immediately.

Dr. Chas. E. Gillespie. d30dtt

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TAX BILL PROMISES TO CENTER OF BITTER FIGHT

Amendments Offered by House Committee Do Not Remove All Objections.

By United Press.

Indianapolis, February 8.—Opposition among legislators to the proposed tax bill has not been entirely removed by the amendments recommended by the House Judiciary A committee, and the measure will be the center of a bitter fight when it comes up for final action.

It was reported today that the administration is making plans to push the excise tax bill again, if the tax bill now pending should be defeated. The excise tax measure was the cause of one of the bitterest fights in the 1917 session of the General Assembly.

Farmers who had opposed the bill now pending, appear to be indifferent to the measure now since the provision providing for starting the assessment on Jan. 1 instead of March 1 each year, was eliminated.

A great deal of opposition to the original measure was based on the 75 per cent deduction which would have been allowed on intangibles. This was advocated as a means of bringing a great deal of property which has escaped taxation in the past through failure of owners to report it at assessment time, out of hiding. As a further encouragement to those who may be concealing property, the "original bill" would have granted clemency to all those who have concealed property in the past. This was also eliminated.

Banks, trust companies, building and loan associations and such organizations have not relaxed their opposition to the bill. The measure would give the state board of tax commissioners power to assess these institutions.

When the bill is ready for final action, the greatest opposition will center on the claim that it gives the tax commissioners too much power, and that the cost of assessment and collection of taxes under the measure would be too high.

Under the bill, the tax commissioners would be given direct control over county and township assessors, with power to remove any one who fails in performance of his duties.

WOULD DEPRIVE THE CONSTABLE OF SOME POWER

McCray Objects to Them to Collecting Money from Motorists on "Joy Rides."

By United Press.

Indianapolis, February 8.—The Bingville constable, public official, township czar, and protector of public peace, is threatened by a bill introduced by a real city statesman.

Senator Franklin McCray, of Indianapolis, would deprive the backwoods constables of conducting their nocturnal raids against harmonious joy riders who seek to better the records established by Allied dives on the Western Front.

In addition to threatening the authority of the village constable Senator McCray today openly challenged the right of petty courts, conducted by justice of the peace, to collect fines from motorists. He also says that the bill is designed to "put an end to the indiscriminate arrest of motorists."

Marketing Eggs.

By United Press.

Indianapolis, Ind., February 8.—The Indiana Egg and Poultry Association and the National Egg Dealers' Association will urge the members of the legislature to pass the proposed bill against marketing eggs which are unfit for common use, according to Dr. H. E. Barnard, today. Heavy penalties are provided for in the bill.

Judge J. A. Cox, of Crothersville, was here Friday evening enroute to Brownstown.

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JEWISH WELFARE BOARD BUSY WITH MAIL



The task of distributing the mail from overseas so that letters for the folks at home will not be held up has been undertaken by the Jewish welfare board in New York. Mrs. Ralph Stern is in charge of the work. The photograph shows Mrs. Stern (third from left in foreground) surrounded by relatives of soldiers awaiting the distribution of mail at the clubhouse.

CZECHO-SLAVS ARE FACING CONDITIONS OF STRAVATION

America Representative of the Food Administration Makes Investigation.

(By Fred S. Ferguson, United Press Staff Correspondent.)

PParis, February 9.—Starvation in the midst of potential prosperity is the terrible condition found by Dr. Alonzo Taylor, of the University of Pennsylvania, in Czechoslovakia and in other portions of the former Austrian empire.

Dr. Taylor, who has been conducting an investigation for the United States food administration, today gave the United Press a review of conditions he found in Prague, Vienna, Budapest, and other large cities. It is the first unbiased report of these conditions, made by a man selected by responsible authority to conduct a thorough inquiry.

The picture Dr. Taylor drew is one of closed factories, stilled industries, and streets filled with hungry, unemployed men and women. The factories are there, and the workers, but there is no raw material on which to go to work.

The Czechoslavs, however, remain undismayed, Dr. Taylor says, and have established a strong government. There is no factionalism in this new republic, but a strong feeling of nationalism which is bound to pull the people through their time of trial, provided some assistance is furnished.

"The people of the world must realize," said Dr. Taylor, "that four or five divided parts of Austria-Hungary must be dealt with entirely apart from Germany. They have nothing to do with Germany. The Czechoslavs, of course furnish the best known example. They never sympathized with Germany or with German Austria, and thousands of them were shot by the Austrian government because of their opposition to the war. M. Krmárecz, present Czechoslovak premier, was in prison 26 months, under sentence of death, because of his anti-Austrian attitude.

"After more than 100 years of oppression the Czechoslavs now see the realization of their national ideals just ahead. But they look to America for help, because of America's disinterested position with regard to European politics. They need food and raw materials.

"They cannot pay cash at present, but point to their textiles, their sugar, and their coal. Their textile industries are comparable to those of Manchester, their iron industries with those of Pittsburgh. Bohemian glass and porcelains are known throughout the world.

"All these struggling Czechoslavs ask is credit and a chance to work. They want nothing for nothing, but will pay for every pound of food and raw materials if America will help them to get upon their feet now."

Dr. Taylor declared the people of Austria-Hungary realize that they are thoroughly beaten. Aside from a few aristocrats in German Austria, he says, the entire people is thoroughly disillusioned about the Germans.

Bolshevism, Dr. Taylor declared, is threatening to make rapid progress in the various units that once made up the Austro-Hungarian empire.

"There is no spirit of bolshevism among the Czechoslavs," he said, "but it is coming at them from the outside. Bolsheviks from industrial centers are urging the Czech workers to seize the shops and mines, declaring everyone has money in Russia except the rich. The bolshevist propaganda among the Czech

coalfields is coming from Prussian Silesia.

"Food and work are the only effective weapons with which to fight bolshevist propaganda."

As to the food situation, Dr. Taylor said: "There is a great shortage of potatoes. I did not see a potato in the markets of Prague, Budapest or Vienna. There is less than 25 per cent. of a normal supply of milk. Meat is scarce. The poor live on coarse bread, cabbage, turnips, and roots commonly used for cattle feed.

SCOUTS ENTERTAIN PARENTS AT GYM

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number was a song by Charles Maple, Weldon Davis, Shirley Faulkner, Eugene Smith and Earl Parker with a saxophone accompaniment by Joe Andrews and piano accompaniment by Mrs. J. H. Andrews. Scoutmaster More then asked W. L. Johnson to speak and he made a brief address appreciating the work which is done by the Scouts. At the conclusion of this address he presented each Scout with a money belt. Assistant Scoutmaster, Harry McDonald, assisted in the distribution of the belts.

A saxophone solo was rendered by Joe Andrews and Rev. J. H. More made an address in appreciation of the cooperation which the parents of the Scouts had given, emphasizing the importance of the Scout program in the development of the manhood of the Boy Scouts. The evening concluded with a basket ball game between two Scout teams. The line up for these teams was as follows:

First Team	Second Team
Deal, c	Davis, c
Misamore, f	Miller, f
Amick, f	Faulkner, f
Shiel, g	Fenton, g
Barbour, g	Scharfenberger, g
Hanneuer, sub.	Schaefer, sub.

First team: Deal 8 field goals; Misamore 2 field goals, 1 foul goal; Amick 2 field goals, 2 foul goals; Shiel, 1 field goal, 1 foul goal.

Second team: Miller 1 field goal; Fenton 1 field goal, 1 foul goal. Referee—Oren Lewis.

Coaches—First team, Smith; Second team, Parker.

In the second half Hanneuer replaced Barbour on the first team and Schaefer replaced Fenton. The score was 30 to 5 in favor of the first team.

Today the Scouts are enjoying a hike to the farm of Robert J. Barbour, south of Seymour. Sunday evening they will celebrate the ninth anniversary of the national organization of Scouts by holding a memorial service in honor of Theodore Roosevelt who was honorary vice-president of the national organization. This meeting will be held at the Presbyterian church at 7:30. Two weeks from last evening the Scouts will entertain their friends again with a five reel picture entitled "Knights of the Square Table." It was the intention of the Scouts to present this picture last evening but the film could not be obtained.

The entire evening was enjoyed thoroughly by all who were present and indicates the cordial relations existing between the parents and the Scoutmaster J. H. More and his assistant, Harry McDonald, in their work for the Boy Scouts.

In appreciation of the gift made to the Scoutmaster last evening, Mr. More today made the following statement:

"To my Boy Scout Friends:

"I want to take this opportunity in a public way to express to you my sincere appreciation of your gracious and generous gift of sixty-five dollars in gold. I wish it might be possible for me to see each of you personally and tell you how

much I prize this gift and the spirit that lays back of, and prompted the giving. I shall always cherish in my memory the third Scout Anniversary dinner and the presentation of the purse of gold which came as a happy climax to an evening of good fellowship.

"To the boys themselves I want to say that whatever happiness and profit you have derived from our weekly meetings and the occasional hikes has been shared by me abundantly. The friendships we have made and cemented in the past will not be broken by the years. A scout is always friendly and loyal.

"To the parents and friends of the Scouts a word of appreciation is long overdue. Your constant and continued cooperation has made the Scout organization both possible and successful. Whatever you have given of your interest and time and money has been well spent. It has been an investment in life—in better boyhood and manhood. In helping the Scouts you have benefited the community and the country. Yours has been distinctly a patriotic service in the highest order.

"I am counting upon the loyalty of the Scouts and the cooperation of their friends to make the coming year the best and busiest in the history of Troop No. 1.

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"James H. More,
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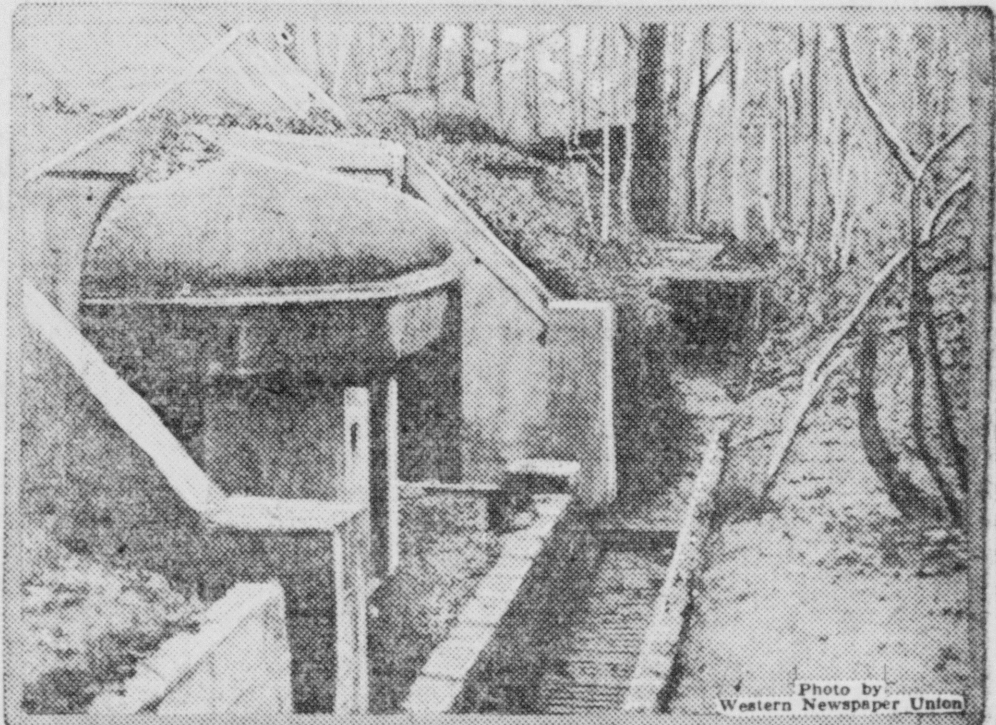
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SOCIAL EVENTS

BIRTHDAY DINNER

Mrs. Arthur Livensparger entertained a number of friends at her home on East Third street Friday evening in honor of the birthday anniversaries of Mrs. Edward Peterman and Mr. Livensparger. An elaborate dinner was served during the evening. The table was decorated with small baskets of candy and with two birthday cakes with candles. Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Peterman, Mr. and Mrs. Livensparger, Miss Edna Kasting and Willard Miller.

HIGH FLIERS

The High Fliers Class of the Park Mission Sunday School met Friday evening with Thoburn Brocker, of North Blish street. Mrs. J. W. McMurray is the teacher of the class. After the transaction of the business a social time was enjoyed during which games were played and a light luncheon was served. The members present were Roy Williams, Thoburn Brocker, Charles Sewell, Leland Ross, Buddie Clark, Clarence Sage, Delbert Gossett, John Lee, William Barnes.

S. S. SOCIAL.

The contest which was being held between the two Junior classes of the Park Mission Sunday School, closed last Sunday, with the girls' class winners. The losing class, the boys' class, will entertain the winning class with a Valentine social next Friday evening at the Park Mission from 7 until 9 o'clock.

AID SOCIETY

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Central Christian church met at the church Friday for an all day quilting. Those present were served at noon with a chicken dinner. The visitors were: Mrs. Ruddick of Tampico and Mrs. Coons, of Reddington.

HE'DOVE CLUB

Miss Helen Brunow entertained the He'Dove Club at her home, Corner Brown and Poplar streets, Friday evening. The evening was spent with sewing and games and a light luncheon was served.

HOME DEPARTMENT

Class No. 1, of the Baptist Home Department, will meet with Mrs. Charles Haper, Booth street, Wednesday afternoon.

SEWING SOCIETY

The Baptist Sewing Society will meet at 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon at the church.

COMING EVENTS

TUESDAY

Mrs. Tunley's Class of the First M. E. S. S. with Louise Carter, North Pine street.

Loyal Devoir Society of the Central Christian church at the church. Special business meeting.

Sewing Club with Alice Monroe, Corner Seventh and Blish streets.

Methodist Home Missionary Society with Mrs. Mabel Temple, North Poplar street.

Loyal Daughters Class of the First Baptist S. S. with Mrs. Bess Thomas, Corner Laurel and Carter streets.

Baptist Sewing Society at the church.

Seymour Tuesday Club with Dr. Lurah Rader, Reciprocity Day.

WEDNESDAY

Junior K. K. Club with Mrs. John H. Conner, West Seventh street.

Lutheran Young Ladies' Society at the Club House, 8 p. m.

K. K. Club with Mrs. W. L. Federmann, West Third street.

W. C. T. U. with Mrs. Frank Teckemeyer, West Fourth street.

Baptist Home Department, Class No. 1, with Mrs. Charles Haper, Booth street.

THURSDAY

Lutheran Ladies' Society at the Club House, at 7:30 p. m.

Agenda Class of the Trinity M. E. church at the parsonage.

Ladies' Aid Society of the Presbyterian church with Mrs. C. D. Billings, North Walnut street.

Baptist Missionary Society with Mrs. George Bartlett, West Fourth street.

FRIDAY

Friday Magazine Club, Red Cross afternoon, with Mrs. Lillian Hagan, North Poplar street.

French Club with Miss Irene Heidemann, South Walnut st. (Evening.)

He'Dove Club with Eleanor Ahlbrand, South Chestnut st.

Christian Aid Society at the church parlors.

Methodist Aid Society at the church parlors.

Loyal Daughters of the First Baptist S. S. Social meeting at the church.

A. A. D. Club with Misses Olga and Mildred Mueller, at home of Miss Anna Moenning, South Poplar street.

COMMISSION TO SPEED UP WORK (Continued from first page)

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M. E. Primary.

The Primary Department of the M. E. Sunday School will have a valentine party in the Sunday School rooms Sunday morning. The superintendent wishes to meet each one of the members.

Mrs. Fry.

TOWN WELLS GUSH

Water Fills the Storage Tank, but is of Little Use to Pumps.

The town of Wyoming, three miles south of Dover, Del., has a phenomenon which officials and residents have been unable to explain. The water system, pumping station and tower are a quarter mile from the town proper, with a tank which is nearly 100 feet high and has a capacity of several thousand gallons. Usually it has required an hour or longer to fill the tank by pumping from the driven wells and refill it as water is drawn by consumers.

Within the past week the unusual thing has happened. The keeper of the pumping station was surprised to see the tank filled in about 20 minutes of pumping and in some instances not that long. It is also noticed that even after the pumps have been shut down the water gushes up the pipe for a considerable height, causing the tank to overflow.

With this peculiar situation several town wells have gone dry, the presumption being that the pumping station has struck the same vein of water. Residents with such useless wells have been compelled to tap the town water supply.

MUSTARD GAS COOKS FLESH

Soldier Tells of Experience in Engagement Near Verdun.

"Mustard gas shells which the Huns used in many instances cooked the flesh," said William Arnold, Penn. Ill. Company D. Forty-seventh infantry, while recounting an engagement with the Germans near Verdun.

"When the enemy made an attack, we adjusted our masks, but the gas was so deadly poisonous that it scorched our hands and necks. If a man failed to get his mask on in time, nine times out of ten his face would be badly burned. The effect resembled a bad case of smallpox," he said.

Private Arnold is in the base hospital at Camp Sherman recovering from shrapnel wounds in both legs.

FREAK WINS HIS BET

Found Dead in Police Station as He Had Predicted.

Fifteen years ago "Tattooed Jack," a well-known stealer of cats and circus sideshow character of former years, bet "the best drink in town that I'll be found dead some night with my clothes on in this police station," with Sergeant Hutchinson of the North side jail at Pittsburgh.

The other night an aged man was found dead in a cell of the station. No one knew his identity until Hutchinson was called. It was "Tattooed Jack," and he had his clothes on. He had won the bet.

Rich Indian Takes Wife.

Old Dog, chief of the Gros Ventres, one of the four tribes which lives in peace and harmony on Berthold Reservation, has brought Mrs. Old Dog to a hospital at Bismarck, N. D., for treatment. Old Dog is a full blooded Gros Ventre, and is one of the wealthiest and most progressive Indians on the reservation. He has thousands of acres of good land, several thousand head of registered cattle and hundreds of fine horses. Last summer he built a nine-room home in which he installed a modern heating and plumbing system.

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State of Indiana, Jackson County, ss.

Notice is hereby given that the Board of County Commissioners of Jackson county, Indiana, will on the 3rd day of March 1919 at the hour of one o'clock p. m. receive sealed proposals for the erection and completion of the following bridges.

Gallimore Bridge, Jackson township.

Mt. Sidney Bridge, over Smart ditch, Grassy Fork township.

Russell Whitcomb Bridge, Brownstown township.

Snyder Bridge, Jackson township.

Newby Bridge, Jackson township.

Berger Bridge, Vernon township.

Cal. Royce Bridge, Vernon township.

A. M. Oathout Bridge, Brownstown township.

John Ward Bridge, Jackson township.

All of said work to be done and completed according to plans and specifications on file in the Auditor's office in Brownstown, Indiana, on or before the 1st day of August, 1919.

Bond in an amount equal to the amount of the bid must accompany the same.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Albert Luedtke,
Auditor of Jackson Co.

Co. K. Man Home.

Private Jasper Dixon, of Co. F, 12th U. S. Infantry, has been honorably discharged from the service and is now visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Dixon. Private Dixon was formerly with Co. K, at Louisville, Ky., when war was declared against Germany. In September, 1917, they moved to Camp Shelby, Miss., where they were trained for overseas duty. They left there in September, 1918, for Camp Mills, N. Y., and embarked in a few days for overseas. Private Dixon was two days at sea when he was taken off the boat and sent to the base hospital at Camp Merritt, N. J. After being discharged from the hospital he was transferred to Co. F, 2nd Inf., at Camp Mills, and was there until the armistice was signed. He has two brothers in the army overseas who are expecting to come back to the states at an early date.

Dr. T. E. Biery Dead.

Dr. T. E. Biery, of Scottsburg, who has practiced medicine in Scott county for more than thirty years died Thursday evening at his home. He was a civil war veteran serving two enlistment periods covering the duration of the war. He was a member of the Methodist church, the Masonic and Knights of Pythias lodges. He leaves a widow, three daughters and four sons, one of whom Hudson R. Biery is assistant to the general manager of the I. & L. traction railway.

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Miss Amelia Platter, of Indianapolis, is spending the week end here with her father, Peter Platter, and relatives.



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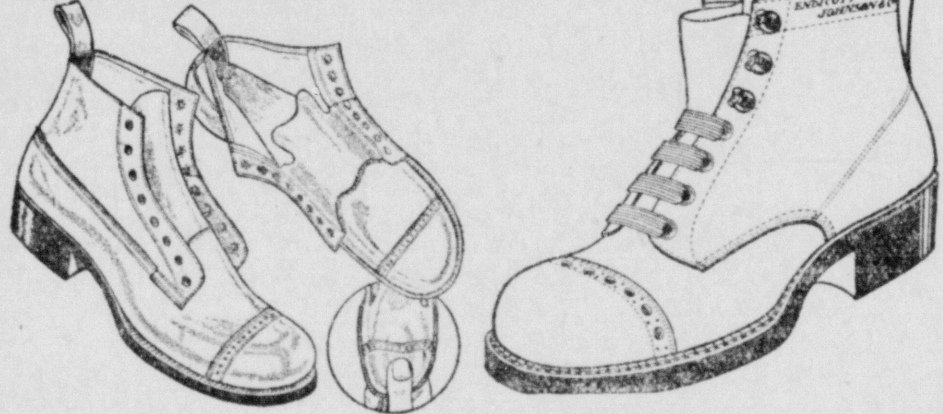
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PERSONAL

Wm. Fettig visited friends in Columbus Friday.

Mrs. Fred Everback spent the day in Indianapolis.

Wm. Willman spent the day in Indianapolis on business.

James F. Johnson, of Commiskey, was in Seymour today.

Dan Walker, of Cortland, transacted business here today.

Miss Zetta Brown returned this morning from Indianapolis.

James Luckey, of Reddington, was a business caller here today.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bowman went to Indianapolis this morning.

Harlan White, of Crothersville, was here Friday on business.

M. A. Waskom, of Vallonia, was a business caller here today.

Mrs. Lydia Hanner returned to her home in Brownstown this morning.

Clara Downing went to Brownstown this morning to visit relatives.

Wm. Swengel, of Redding township, was a shopping visitor here today.

Mrs. Julius Johnson, of near Commiskey, was here Friday shopping.

Geo. Baldwin, of Redding township, transacted business here today.

Charles Welliver, of Redding township, was here today on business.

Carl Maschino, of Four Corners, transacted business in this city today.

Miss Mary Dixon is spending a few days with her mother at Ft. Ritter.

George Vondielingen, southwest of Seymour, was a business caller here today.

William H. Murray, of Redding township, as a shopping visitor here today.

Eva Day went to Hayden this morning for a short visit with friends.

Miss Grace Wohler, of Waymansville, was a shopping visitor here today.

Mrs. Lydia Elrod went to Rushville this morning for a short visit with relatives.

Mrs. Otto Hartman went to Aurora this morning for a short visit with relatives.

Fred Baule, of Four Corners neighborhood, was here today on business.

Miss Marie Keller went to Hayden this morning for a short visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. John C. Groub went to Indianapolis today at noon for a short visit.

Mrs. B. E. Hamilton went to Crothersville today to visit friends and relatives.

Mrs. Sim Turmail of Vallonia, was here this morning on her way to Crothersville.

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Sharpshooters' Record.

On Jan. 1, Pvt. William White, son of Joseph N. White, Seymour, was called out on the rifle range in France with 400 other sharpshooters and given special practice. After the shooting the major's orderly called him to headquarters where he was presented a fine wrist watch as a prize for his good marksmanship. This information was conveyed to Mr. White through a letter he received from his son recently.

New Hearse.

The F. J. Voss undertaking establishment of this city has just received a new Packard hearse. The big machine is, except for the tassels and drapery effect of the hand carved sides, of deep gray color. Mr. Voss had the body of the hearse built to order and his choice for one of the strong points of grace and beauty is expressed in the rippling waves of delicately hand carved drapery surmounting the hearse from side to side. The solid gray of the machine is broken here and there by a tassels effect that is tipped with green. The machine has been placed in the Bevins-Everback garage and is ready for immediate use.

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Rev. R. I. Black, of Brownstown, was here today on his way to his home from Columbus where he conducted a funeral.

BOLLINGER'S Saturday Bulletin.

Good 6 room modern cottage, South Chestnut street, \$2,800.

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Good 53 acre farm, 2 1/2 miles east of Seymour. 200 acres in white @ \$60.

128 acre well improved farm, 3 miles out, near Interurban @ \$100 per acre.

120 acre farm, 1/2 sand, 3 miles out @ \$75 per acre.

75 acre farm, good buildings, part sand, 3 miles out @ \$65.

80 acres of bottom corn land, one mile east of Dudleytown, \$50.00 per acre.

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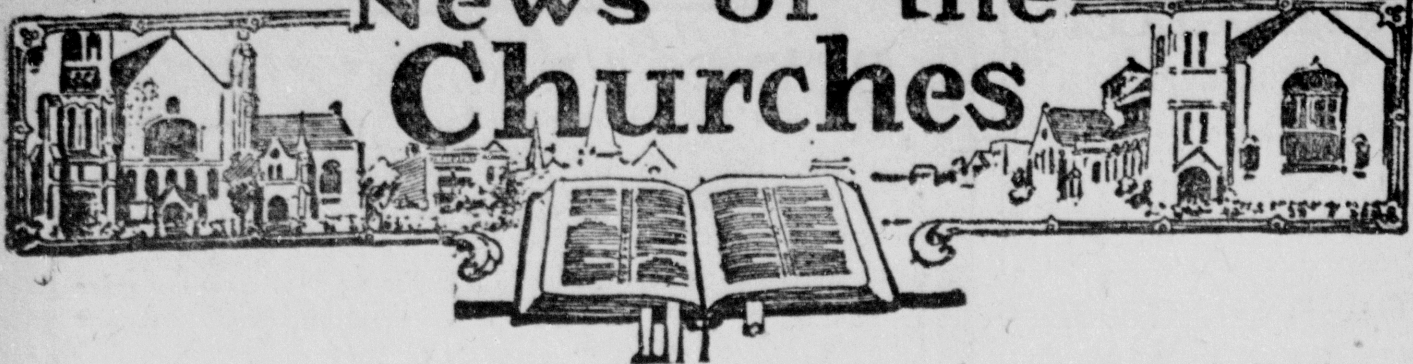
The grace and beauty of period furniture combined with its practicability and simplicity make it paramount in our regard, representing as it does, the finest in furniture art. The efficient work of those old English and French men, who fathered their beautiful creations in the seventeenth and eighteenth centuries, is now appreciated and admired by us all, succeeding generations cherishing more and more their classic achievements. Period furniture then, bears the same relation to the artistic in home furnishing that the work of the early masters bears to the world of art, music and literature.

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News of the Churches



First Presbyterian Church.

9:15—Sunday School. Mr. C. D. Billings, Superintendent. Music led by the S. S. orchestra. Classes for all.

10:30—The morning worship. The pastor will use as his topic: "The Stewardship of Influence." Also a sermonette for the children.

3:30—Open meeting at the Majestic addressed by a Syrian Wade Ead in behalf of the Armenian and Syrian Relief. Music by the Zickler orchestra.

7:30—The Boy Scouts will hold a special service in honor of Theodore Roosevelt. The Scouts will also celebrate their anniversary Sunday. The friends of the Scouts are also especially invited.

Tuesday, 7:30—The deacons and elders are asked to meet in the Pastors' study for the transaction of important business.

Wednesday, 7:30—The Mid-week meeting. Last of the studies on the Lord's Prayer.

Friday 7:15—Scouts will meet in S. H. S. This will be a special reorganization meeting. Every scout is urged to be present.

James Harold More, Pastor.

Central Christian Church.

Remember Our Goal.

Sunday School at 9:30 a. m. Special music by the Junior choir. Let us have a large school.

Communion and preaching services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. The pastor will have a special sermon in the evening on the "Religion of Lincoln." Special music by the choir.

The regular meeting of the Brotherhood will be held Monday evening at 7:30. Every brother of the church is requested to be present. A good program is being arranged and will expect a good speaker at the meeting.

The Loyal Devoir Society will meet at the church Tuesday evening for a special business meeting.

Wednesday evening the mid-week prayer service.

Friday afternoon the Ladies' Aid will meet at the church.

Christian Endeavor Sunday evening at 6:30.

W. J. Carroll, Pastor.

First Methodist Episcopal Church.

Charles W. Whitman, minister.

The Sunday School will convene tomorrow morning at 9:15 o'clock with Supt. Clifford H. Wiethoff, in charge. The singing will be led by the orchestra. The pastor will preach for both morning and evening service. In the morning service the theme will be, "The Contributions of Our Fathers." In the evening we shall hold the service as an appreciation of the life and work of Theodore Roosevelt. The pastor will deliver an address on, "The Work of Roosevelt and His Ideals of Life." Special music will be rendered by Zickler's Orchestra. Also, the choir will render special music. Let us have large attendance tomorrow for all our services. Especially do we invite the public to worship with us tomorrow evening in honor of the Great American Patriot in whose memory we shall hold the service. The public is cordially invited to worship with us.

The Woman's Home Missionary Society will meet Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. R. A. Temple, 519 North Poplar street.

Nazarene Church.

Regular Sunday School services at 9:30 o'clock in charge of Robert Meyers, superintendent. Last Sunday was a record Sunday. See if we can do better this Sunday.

Preaching services at 10:30 by Rev. Fogg. 7 o'clock p. m. prayer services in the class room. All members invited. Preaching by Evangelist Fogg.

Preaching every night except Saturday night. Rev. Fogg is preaching to a splendid and interested audience. Come early tomorrow night for the church will be filled.

C. P. Lanpher, pastor.

St. Paul's Congregational Church.

The Bible School meets in regular session at 9:15, Mr. John Loertz, Supt. Every member of the school is requested to be present.

Morning preaching service at 10:30. Subject of the sermon, "An All-Sufficient God." Special music.

Evening service, 7:30. Subject of sermon, "The Books Opened." A cordial invitation is extended to everybody to attend these services.

O. G. Misamore pastor.

The First Baptist Church.

The Morning Service—10:30 a. m.

The Pastor and members of this church inaugurated a "Junior Church Service" in January and this Sunday (the second of each month) is the Junior Church Service for February. We know the parents of our Sunday School children desire them to attend worship at least once a month. This service is for that purpose and the music will be rendered by the pupils of the school, the ushering will be by the young men of the school and the organist for the morning will be Miss Marie Gudel. The pastor will speak on, "The Zammims."

The Church School—9:15 a. m. Jay C. Smith, Director.

Special Lincoln Programs will be given in our school and Lincoln specialties will be given the Primary children. Miss Remy and Mrs. Perkinson's classes have charge of the program in the adult and intermediate school. Tomorrow all of the Church School remain until 11:15, as the Junior Processional will connect the school and church services. Primary children may remain but it is not compulsory.

The Afternoon—2 o'clock.

Our Missions, Park and Southwest meet in their respective places. Competent superintendents and teachers are in charge. Special programs every Sunday.

The Evening—6:30 o'clock.

The Young People's Service in the Chapel will be led by Miss Jeanette Black and the subject "I Will—and What I Will." Heb. 10:5-9.

The Evening People's Service is held at 7:30 p. m. The second of the Railroad Sermons will be preached. Special music by an enlarged choir. Every railroad man, his wife and family invited to hear this sermon on "Up Grade." Two special pieces of music, "Engine Bells" and "Brakesman" will be sung. Hear them.

Home department Class No. 1 will meet Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock with Chas. Haper on Booth street.

Christian Science.

Sunday School at 9:30 a. m.

Sunday service at 10:45 a. m.

Testimonial meetings every Wednesday from 7:30 to 8:30 p. m. To our services and to the reading room the public is cordially invited and welcome.

Evangelical Lutheran.

10:00 a. m.—Morning service.

7:30 p. m.—Evening service.

South-West Mission.

Sunday School at 2:00 o'clock each Sunday afternoon.

Woodstock Church.

Sunday School at 2 o'clock. Closing exercises will be a heart service.

Mrs. Bedel's class will give the program including a cupid and heart service and drill.

Junior Union at 6:30 o'clock.

Young People's meeting at same hour.

The young people will have charge of the evening service at 7:30 o'clock.

Junior choir practice at 4 o'clock Thursday at church.

Church choir will meet Friday at 7:30 o'clock at church.

We are working with about one-third of the power we should have. More hands are needed. Lending a hand means offering service. What can children do and what can young people do in the precinct campaign. Come and see the illustrations.

Trinity Methodist Episcopal Church.

Sunday School at 9:00. Special addresses by the Rev. Elmer Roessner, of New Albany, Ind., and by the Hon. Edmund Huber, of Louisville.

Church service at 10:30. An interesting service has been arranged. The Rev. Elmer Roessner and the Hon. Mr. Huber will deliver inspiring messages on "The Needs of the World Today."

Epworth League devotional meeting at 7:00.

Gospel service at 7:30. We expect to induce our special speakers to stay with us for the evening meeting also.

Prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 7:30.

Wm. Weiler, minister.

St. Ambrose Catholic Church.

Low Mass at 8 o'clock.

High Mass at 10 o'clock.

Instruction in Catechism at 2:30. Vesper service and Benediction at 3:00 o'clock.

A. M. E. Church.

Sunday School 2:30 p. m.

Preaching 7 p. m. Subject, "The Democracy of the Gospel and the Democracy of Human Government."

F. M. Ovelton, Pastor.

Church of Christ.

Bible study at 10 o'clock.

Communion service at 11 o'clock at southeast corner of Sixth and Chestnut.

United Brethren Church.

Sunday School 9:00 a. m.

Preaching service at 10:30 a. m.

Glenlawn Mission.

Glenlawn Mission at 2:30 each Sunday afternoon.

Park Mission.

Sunday School at 2:00 p. m.

Temperance Notes

(Conducted by the National Woman's Christian Temperance Union.)

PROHIBITION LAWS OF THE WORLD.

Wayne B. Wheeler, attorney and general counsel of the Anti-Saloon league, told of the present liquor laws of foreign nations. He said:

"The laws of a country, generally speaking, reflect the average sentiment of the people. This rule varies, however, with the form of government and the means of giving expression to public opinion.

"The countries that have adopted prohibition, permanent, war or by religious mandates, are Canada, Iceland, Greenland, the North Sea Fisheries, the Faroe Islands, the islands and territory under the jurisdiction of the United States except the Philippines, Central Asia, Transcaucasia, Russia, and Transcaspian Territory, China, Turkey and part of Africa.

"New Zealand, Scotland, Australia, Norway and Tasmania have local option laws.

"England, France, Italy, South America, North and South Africa, Portugal, Spain, Sweden, Norway, Ceylon, Germany, Holland, Belgium and practically all of the European countries have permissive or license laws.

"Under these laws and the prohibition law for the United States, approximately 80 per cent of the territory of the world is under prohibition, and over 50 per cent of its population.

—Patriot Phalanx.

LEADING MEN OF FRANCE ON ALCOHOL.

"It is proved that alcohol does not satisfy thirst."—Prof. DeBove, permanent secretary of the Academy of Medicine.

"Alcohol does not warm the drinker.

It is dangerous to use it in cold weather."—Valloir, director of the Mont Blanc Observatory.

"Alcohol which threatens to drain the very source of national life is no less dangerous than the foreign enemy."—Leon Bourgeois, president of the council.

"Alcohol surrenders the people to all sorts of oppression, every misery, all kinds of disgrace."—Anatole France, of the French Academy.

"The common people, instead of trying to forget misery in alcohol, ought to abolish their misery by fighting alcohol."—Emil Vandervelde, prime minister of Belgium.

"In the development of French industry and the welfare of the common people, we must declare war to the death on alcohol."—Leon Jonhau, secretary of the General Labor Federation.

"Alcohol slays millions who would be worth billions to the treasury."—Home and State.

WORLD PROHIBITION THE SOLUTION.

In an article on "Organic Treatment for an Organic Disease," Hon. Richmond Pearson Hobson said:

"As prohibition cannot be satisfactory in America so long as any state remains wet, so prohibition cannot be regarded as organic and adequate in the world while any nation remains wet. America with prohibition in her own constitution is but on the threshold of her great mission for which she has been marked from the foundations of the world."

WHY THE PROHIBITION AMENDMENT SHOULD BE RATIFIED.

In the interest of our homes. In the interest of capital and labor. In the interest of clean politics and a strong nation.

Lincoln at D. L. Moody's Sunday School



President-elect Abraham Lincoln spent a Sunday in Chicago prior to his first inaugural at Washington. He was prevailed on to visit D. L. Moody's Sunday School, where, guided by Mr. Moody, he visited every class and shook hands with every scholar, after which he made a brief address. Mr. Thomas C. MacMillan, present veteran clerk of the United States District Court in Chicago, was one of the small boys present, together with his sister, on that occasion. He says: "The impression made on me that day affected my

whole life. Mother said to us on our return home, "Since you have shaken hands with that great, good man you should strive all your lives to remember him, and never allow your hands to do anything or your lips to say anything which you would not be willing to tell Mr. Lincoln."

In response to the first call for volunteers a few months later over fifty of Moody's Sunday School boys enlisted. One of these boys became Colonel James A. Sexton, later Postmaster of Chicago and Commander of the Grand Army of the Republic. (Portraits of Lincoln and Moody from photographs of the time. Drawing by R. H. Palenske.)

LINCOLN

God took a piece of common clay;
Planted therein ambition's vital seed;
Placed him, a youth, beside the common way,
That he might learn the common human need.

Made strong by strife, he faced the storm of wrath;
Love made him wise, a nation's cause to lead;
He walked with God, though in a yeoman's path,
And seized on fame by an immortal deed.

—Thomas Curtis Clark.

Taking Away Sin

By REV. J. H. RALSTON, D. D.
Secretary of Correspondence Department,
Moody Bible Institute, Chicago

TEXT—Behold the Lamb of God which taketh away the sin of the world.—John 1:29.

It would seem that John the Baptist, who was the last and greatest of the prophets, should announce his great successor as the one fulfilling the prophecies reaching back to the garden of Eden; as the King of David, the Son of David, the King of the Jews; as the great Prophet for whose coming the Jews had been looking for centuries; as the Mighty God, the Everlasting Father, the Prince of Peace. But he did not do so. He simply said, "Behold the Lamb of God which taketh away the sin of the world."



In the field of John's vision there was a black cloud of sin, out of which wrath was falling on men the world over. He saw men enslaved by sin. He saw that they were to die eternally on account of sin, and in Jesus he saw the world's Savior.

It seems strange that the greatest curse on man should be given a name containing only three letters; yet the greatest idea that man can entertain, as a name, contains only three letters—God. It may be fanciful, but there is possibly a suggestion that these two words, so short, should always be considered together. No God,

no sin. "Sin is the transgression of the law." If there were no God to promulgate law there could be no sin. Sin was the ugly thing that separated man from God, and that now threatens to make that separation eternal, and none but God himself could take it away.

With very many sin is simply the transgression of the law of God that affects oneself or society; it is only vice or crime. It is altogether proper to speak of sinning against one's fellow men and against himself. A certain man, whose name is familiar because notorious within the last four years, sinned greatly against society at large, against the whole human race. If a man thinks he has preserved a conscience void of offense toward his fellow men he thinks that he is meeting all God's requirements. Man frequently speaks of transgression of the law as directly affecting himself and others, but often that man is altogether indifferent to the practical fact that there is a consideration far above this of what sin does, and that consideration is that sin affects God.

There is nothing needed now more than a sense of God. There are many who are utterly godless and they are not called atheists, but they are atheists practically. As far as interest in God is concerned God might as well not be. There are, however, some evidences that this sense of God is being realized as never before. A soldier in France wrote, "All infidels are in the rear; everyone here at the front believes in God and the future."

In the Bible we have two very clear illustrations of sensitiveness to sin as offense against God. When Joseph was tempted by the wife of Potiphar he was saved by the thought, "How can I do this thing and sin against God?" Here was utter indifference to anything but the thought of sinning against God. The other case is that of David who prayed, "Against thee, thee only, have I sinned and done this evil in thy sight." Again, utter indifference to the consequences of his sin as touching himself and others. The same thought is reflect-

ed in the prodigal's words when he returned to his father. This recognition and confession of offense against God is the door through which the true penitent comes into a place of deliverance. It is here that he secures spiritual freedom, and that spiritual freedom is only realized when the guilt of sin is taken away.

The taking away of sin is real. The strong shoulders of the Son of God bear it away, as the scapegoat of old bore away the sins of Israel into the wilderness.

If Jesus Christ is able to carry away the sin of the world it is quite reasonable to say that he can take away the sin or sins of any man. There are some who fear that they may have sinned so grievously that their sin can never be taken away, but if Jesus Christ can take away the sin of the world, which certainly means all sin, the sin of the troubled sinner can also be taken away.

I lay my sins on Jesus,
The spotless Lamb of God.
He bears them all and frees us
From the accursed load.

Life That Cannot Die.

Immortality is living the life that cannot die, because it is the life of the spirit. To have faith in immortality we must practice immortality.—Lyman Abbott.

Holding the Trenches.

Even the really devoted man may find it difficult to hold the Lord's trenches without fighting the devil's gas.

Thoughts.

Think all you speak; but speak not all you think: Thoughts are your own; your words are so no more.—DeLaune.

The British board of agriculture is inviting the co-operation of the educational authorities in the establishment of women's institutes.

Dr. Howard H. Kelly, a famous physician in Baltimore, says that "whisky is not only useless, but harmful, in the treatment of influenza and pneumonia."

Rainbow's End

..A NOVEL..

BY REX BEACH

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"The Iron Trail," "The Spoilers"
"Heart of the Sunset," etc.

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CHAPTER XVII.

Rosa.

"Look!" Jacket clutched at O'Reilly and pointed a shaking finger. "More beggars! Christ! And those little children!" The boy tried to laugh, but his voice cracked nervously. "Are they children, or gourds with legs under them?"

O'Reilly looked, then turned his eyes away. He and Jacket had reached the heart of Matanzas and were facing the public square, the Plaza de la Libertad it was called. Matanzas appeared poor and squalid, depressingly wretched; its streets were foul and the Plaza de la Libertad—grim mockery of a name—was crowded with a throng such as it had never held in O'Reilly's time, a throng of people who were, without exception, gaunt, listless, ragged. There was no afternoon parade of finery, no laughter, no noise; the benches were full, but their occupants were silent, too sick or too weak to move. Nor were there any romping children. There were, to be sure, vast numbers of undersized figures in the square, but one needed to look twice to realize that they were not pygmies or wizened little old folks. It was not strange that Jacket had compared them to gourds with legs, for all were naked, and most of them had bodies swollen into the likeness of pods or calabashes. They looked peculiarly grotesque with their spidery legs and thin faces.

O'Reilly passed a damp hand across his eyes. "Just Heaven!" he breathed. "She—she's one of these!"

The reconcentrados overran Matanzas in an unclean swarm; streets and plazas were congested with them, for no attempt was made to confine them to their quarters. Morning brought them streaming down from the suburban slopes where they lived, evening sent them winding back; their days were spent in an aimless search for food. They snatched at crumbs and combed the gutters for crusts. How they managed to exist, whence came the food that kept life in their miserable bodies, was a mystery, even to the citizens of the city; no organized effort had been made to care for them and there was insufficient surplus food for half their number. Yet somehow they lived and lingered on.

At the time of O'Reilly's arrival the sight presented by these innocent victims of war was appalling; it roused in him a dull red rage at the power which had wrought this crime and at the men who permitted it to continue. Spain was a Christian nation, he re-

flected; she had set up more crosses than any other, and yet beneath them she had butchered more people than all the nations of the earth combined. This monstrous, coldly calculating effort to destroy the entire Cuban people seemed to him the blackest infamy of all, and he wondered if it would be allowed to succeed.

Fortunately for the two friends, General Betancourt's generosity served to relieve them from any immediate danger of starvation. After making a few purchases and eating with the utmost



"I Can't Stand That," He Confessed.

frugality, they began their search. Later they stretched themselves out to sleep on the stones beneath the portales of the railroad station.

They spent a horrid, harrowing night, for now the general distress was brought home to them more poignantly than ever. At dawn they learned that these people were actually dying of neglect. The faint light betrayed the presence of new corpses lying upon the station flagstones. From those still living, groans, sighs, sick mutterings rose until O'Reilly finally dragged his youthful companion out of the place.

"I can't stand that," he confessed. "I can't sleep when people are starving to death alongside of me. This money burns my pocket. I—I—"

Jacket read his purpose and laid a detaining hand upon his arm.

"It will save our lives, too," he said simply.

"Bah! We are men. There are women and children yonder—"

But Jacket's sensibilities were caloused, it seemed. "Of what use would your few pesetas be among so many?" he inquired. "God has willed this, and he knows what he is doing. Besides, your 'pretty one' is probably as hungry as these people. No doubt we shall find that she, too, is starving."

O'Reilly slowly withdrew his hand from his pocket. "Yes! It's Rosa's money. But—come; I can't endure this."

He led the way back to the Plaza of Liberty and there on an iron bench they waited for the full day. They were very tired, but further sleep was impossible, for the death wagons rumbled by on their way to collect the bodies of those who had died during the night.

Neither the man nor the boy ever wholly lost the nightmare memory of the next few days, for their search took them into every part of the reconcentrado districts. What they beheld aged them. Day after day, from dawn till dark, they wandered, peering into huts, staring into faces, asking questions until they were faint from fatigue and sick from disappointment.

As time passed and they failed to find Rosa Varona a terrible apprehension began to weigh O'Reilly down; his face grew old and drawn, his shoulders sagged, his limbs began to drag. It was all that Jacket could do to keep him going. The boy, now that there was actual need of him, proved a perfect jewel; his optimism never failed, his faith never faltered, and O'Reilly began to feel a dumb gratitude at having the youngster by his side.

Jacket, too, became thin and gray about the lips. But he complained not at all and he laughed a great deal. To him the morrow was always another day of brilliant promise toward which he looked with never-failing eagerness; and not for a single moment did he

question the ultimate success of their endeavor. Such an example did much for the older man. Together they practiced the strictest, hardest economy, living on a few cents a day, while they methodically searched the city from limit to limit.

At first O'Reilly concerned himself more than a little with the problem of escape, but as time wore on he thought less and less about that. Nor did he have occasion to waste further concern regarding his disguise. That it was perfect he proved when several of his former acquaintances passed him by and when, upon one occasion, he came face to face with old Don Mario de Castano. Don Mario had changed; he was older, his flesh had softened, and it hung loosely upon his form. He appeared worried, harassed, and O'Reilly recalled rumors that the war had ruined him. The man's air of dejection seemed to bear out the story.

They had been enemies, nevertheless O'Reilly felt a sudden impulse to make himself known to the Spaniard and to appeal directly for news of Rosa's fate. But Don Mario, he remembered in time, had a reputation for vindictiveness, so he smothered the desire. One other encounter O'Reilly had reason to remember.

It so chanced that one day he and Jacket found themselves in the miserable rabble which assembled at the railroad station to implore alms from the incoming passengers of the Habana train. Few people were traveling these days, and they were, for the most part, Spanish officers to whom the sight of starving country people was no novelty. Now and then, however, there did arrive visitors from whom the spectacle of so much wretchedness wrung a contribution, hence there was always an expectant throng at the depot. On this occasion O'Reilly was surprised to hear the piteous whines for charity in the name of God turn suddenly into a subdued but vicious mutter of rage. Hisses were intermingled with vituperations, then the crowd fell strangely silent, parting to allow the passage of a great, thick-set man in the uniform of a colonel of volunteers. The fellow was unusually swarthy and he wore a black scowl upon his face, while a long puckering scar the full length of one cheek lifted his mouth into a crooked sneer and left exposed a glimpse of wolfish teeth.

O'Reilly was at a loss to fathom this sudden alteration of attitude, the whistle of indrawn breaths and the whispered curses, until he heard some one mutter the name, "Cobo." Then indeed he started and stiffened in his tracks. He fixed a fascinated stare upon the fellow.

Colonel Cobo seemed no little pleased by the reception he created. With his chest arched and his black eyes gleaming malevolently he swaggered through the press, clicking his heels noisily upon the stone flags. When he had gone Jacket voiced a vicious oath.

"So that is the butcher of babies!" exclaimed the boy. "Well, now, I should enjoy cutting his heart out."

O'Reilly's emotions were not entirely unlike those of his small companion. His lips became dry and white as he tried to speak.

"What a brute! That face—ugh!"

He found himself shaking weakly, and discovered that a new and wholly unaccountable feeling of discouragement had settled upon him. He tried manfully to shake it off, but somehow failed, for the sight of Rosa's arch-enemy and the man's overbearing personality had affected him queerly. Cobo's air of confidence and authority seemed to emphasize O'Reilly's impotence and bring it forcibly home to him. To think of his lustful persecution of Rosa Varona, moreover, terrified him. The next day he resumed his hut-to-hut search, but with a listlessness that came from a firm conviction that once again he was too late.

That afternoon found the two friends among the miserable hovels which encircled the foot of La Cumbre, about the only quarter they had not explored. Below lay San Severino, the execution place; above was the site of the old Varona home. More than once on his way about the city O'Reilly had lifted his eyes in the direction of the latter, feeling a great hunger to revisit the scene of his last farewell to Rosa, but through fear of the melancholy effect it would have upon him he had thus far resisted the impulse. Today, however, he could no longer fight the morbid desire and so, in spite of Jacket's protest at the useless expenditure of effort, he set out to climb the hill. Of course the boy would not let him go alone.

Little was said during the ascent. The La Cumbre road seemed very long and very steep. How different the last time O'Reilly had swung up it! The

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climb had never before tired him as it did now, and he reasoned that hunger must have weakened him even more than he realized. Jacket felt the exertion, too; he was short of breath and he rested frequently. O'Reilly saw that the boy's bare, brown legs had grown bony since he had last noticed them, and he felt a sudden pang at having brought the little fellow into such a plight as this.

"Well, hombre," he said when they paused to rest, "I'm afraid we came too late. I'm afraid we're licked."

Jacket nodded listlessly; his optimism, too, was gone. "They must all be dead or we would have found them before this," said he. When O'Reilly made no answer he continued, "It is time we thought of getting away from here, eh?"

Johnnie was sitting with his face in his hands. Without lifting his head he inquired: "How are we going to get away? It is easy enough to get into Matanzas, but—"

He shrugged hopelessly. Jacket brightened at the thought of escape. "Ho! I'll bet we can find a hole somewhere," said he. "We're not like these others. They haven't the spirit to try." There was a moment of silence, and then: "Caramba! You remember those juitas we ate? They were strong, but I would enjoy the smell of one now. Eh? Another week of this and we shall be living on garbage like the rest of these poor people."

Leaving Jacket to take his time, Johnnie completed the climb alone, meditating upon the boy's words. "The spirit to try!" Where had his spirit gone, he wondered. Perhaps it had been crushed beneath the weight of misery he had beheld; surely he had seen enough. Hourly contact with sickness and misfortune on such a gigantic scale was enough to chill anyone's hopes, and although his sensibilities had been dulled, his apprehensions had been quickened hour by hour. Now that he looked the matter squarely in the face, it seemed absurd to believe that a tender girl like Rosa Varona could long have withstood the hardships of this hideous place; stronger people than she had succumbed, by the hundreds. Even now the hospitals were full, the sick lay untended in their hovels. No one, so far as O'Reilly knew, had undertaken to estimate how fast they were dying or the number of dead which had already ridden out of Matanzas in those rumbling wagons, but there were many. What chance was there that Rosa had not been among the latter?

As he breasted the summit of La Cumbre, O'Reilly beheld at some distance a bent figure of want. It was a negro woman, grubbing in the earth with a sharpened stick. After a suspicious scrutiny of him she resumed her digging.

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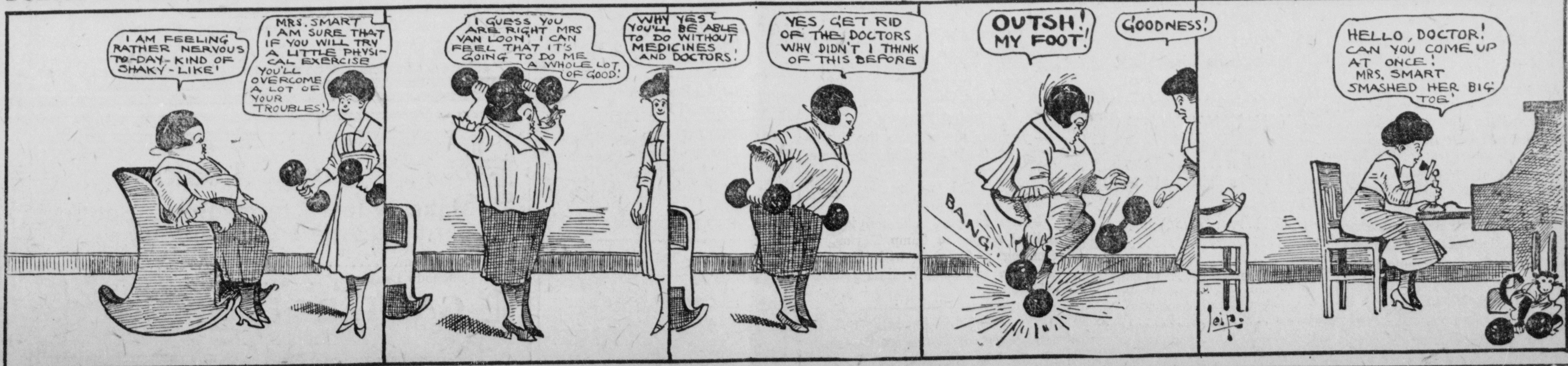
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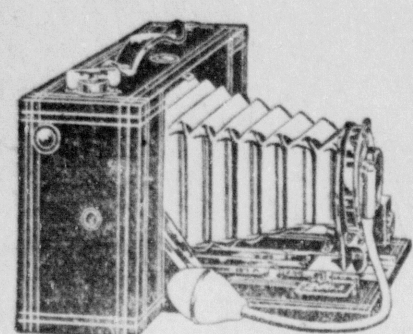
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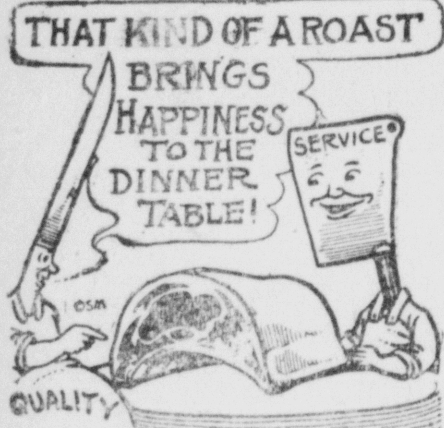
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The Hendricks Miller sale in Driftwood township was one of the largest held in this county. Part of the goods were sold last August and the balance Friday, totaling about \$16,000. The sale consisted of live stock and general farm implements. J. P. Ahl, of Seymour and C. A. Henderson, of Fort Ritner were the auctioneers.

The body of the infant son of Mrs. Edgar Cox, Towanda, Ill., was brought to the F. J. Voss undertaking establishment late Friday afternoon and taken to Chestnut Ridge for burial this morning. Mrs. Cox was unable to accompany the remains because of the critical condition of the deceased's twin brother.

Captain E. G. Kyte, formerly of this city, has sent this paper a copy of the Stars and Stripes, the army publication. It contains some interesting information relative to the work of the American troops on the western front. The issue emphasizes that the hardest battle the soldier has fought is that waiting for his turn to come home.

ADDITIONAL PERSONAL.

Lou Fitch, of Columbus, was here Friday on business.

Bruce Horning of Rockford transacted business here today.

T. E. Fountain, of Acme, was a business caller here today.

Wm. H. King, of route 2, was in Seymour today on business.

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Richard Madden, of Youtsey Hill, was a business caller here today.

Mrs. Ed Velslage, of Cortland, was a shopping visitor here today.

Mrs. Geo. Combs and son, Lloyd, of Rockford, were in Seymour today.

Mrs. John Rich, of the county line, was a shopping visitor here today.

Mrs. Oscar Fisler, of route 5, was in Seymour this afternoon shopping.

Herman Swengel, of Redding township was a business caller here today.

Charles Luckey, of Redding township, transacted business here today.

Mrs. Louis Sager, of Peters Switch, was in Seymour today shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry McOsler, of Brownstown, visited relatives here today.

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